Mr. A. Eachara Menon:— The question imports that and the answer never makes it clear.

Mr. I. N. Menon—No manuscript will be accepted before it is thoroughly scrutinised.

Industrialisation of the Country under State Ownership and control.

186. Mr. K. M. Ibrahim:— Will the Government state whether they intend to industrialize the country under State-ownership and State control?

Mr. P. V. Subramania Ayyar:— No.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim:—What is the Hon'ble Member's alternative proposal to solve the galloping range of our unemployment?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar:—It is not possible to devise any definite formula in the matter of such large questions of legislation. But I think the proceedings published in the last gazette about the formation of the Advisory Committees in which one of the committees will be concerned with industries and commerce will give a chance for the non-official Members of this House to place comprehensive suggestions on unemployment and on industrialisation of the State in various forms. Hon'ble Members will then realise that the question is of such great magnitude that a definite scheme cannot be formulated taking into consideration the various and large interests concerned with this problem.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim:—That is leaving everything in private hands. It is not purely a private body.

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar:—We have not committed ourselves to any such hands.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim:—Has the Government any tentative measures apart from the industrialisation and apart from this vague answer. Am I right in thinking that Government wants to study?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar:— Government are studying. It is a perpetual study, a study of the changing times and changing conditions. We have to adjust ourselves to changing conditions. Industrialisation in their opinion is one of the interests concerned in the problem.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim:—Am I right in thinking that Government has as a matter of fact the scheme of industrialisation before them?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar:—Certainly in some aspects.

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Mr. K. M. Ibrahim:—Sir, are the Government aware of the planned economy that has been successfully worked out by other progressive administrations?

Mr. President:—We are aware of planned economy but we are not aware whether it is successful.

Mr K. M. Ibrahim:—It is being successfully worked out because they have been able to solve the unemployment problem well.

Mr. President:—It is a matter of opinion.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim:—Was not this point also raised in the recent Standing Finance Committee?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar:—If it was raised it would have been noted.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim:— It is in the proceedings of the recent committee which is an advisory body and of which a printed copy must be on the Hon'ble Member's table. I want the Hon'ble Member to take note of it.

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar:—A copy of it is on the Hon'ble Member's table also and he could see from it whether the point has not been noted.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim:—It shows the depth of the non-official opinion on the matter.

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar:— It does not require further noting.

Check-measurement of the tank work in the Kottakkat Village Panchayat.

187. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar:— Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) whether Panchayat Supervisor Mr. Kattappuram Verghese checked and passed the tank work in the Kottakkat Village Panchayat;

(2) if so, the date on which he check-measured;

(3) has not the tank collapsed since then;

(4) if so, when;

(5) how many times he inspected the work during execution;

(6) what is the estimate amount;

(7) who passed the estimate?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon:— (1) and (2) The work has not been fully check-measured.

(3) and (4) The tank has not collapsed at any time.

(5) Eight times.

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